

# THE BLAIRMORE ENTERPRISE

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"Serve the Church that the Church  
May Serve You."

CENTRAL UNITED CHURCH  
BLAIRMORE

Rev. E. B. Arrol, B.A., Minister

Services Sunday next:

11:00 a.m., Senior school.  
2:00 p.m., Junior school.  
7:30 p.m., Public Worship,  
Wednesday, 8 p.m., Prayer service.  
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ST. LUKE'S CHURCH, BLAIRMORE  
Rev. J. R. Hague, A.T.D., Incumbent

Services Sunday next:  
11 a.m., Holy Communion, sermon.  
12 Noon, Sunday School.  
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SALVATION ARMY, COLEMAN  
Capt. and Mrs. F. Watson

Sunday services:

10:30 a.m., Y.P. Directory Class.  
11:00 a.m., Holiness Meeting.  
3:00 p.m., Sunday School.  
7:30 p.m., Salvation Meeting.

Tuesday: 7:30 p.m., Red Shield Auxiliary and Home League.  
Thursday: 8 p.m., Praise Meeting.  
Weddings, funerals and dedications on application to the local officers.

## IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of my dear husband and our father, Frederick Gilroy, who passed away March 3, 1941. "Sometime when earth's trials are over,"

And we reach the Other Side, We must meet one loved one face to face.

Not changed, but glorified."

Fondly remembered by his wife, Alice, and daughters.

## IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of "Daddy," Frederick Gilroy, who passed away March 3, 1941.

"When his little hands were folded Across the pulpit bench he lay. We knew the eyes were opened And 'Daddy' was at rest."

Somewhere on the unseen shore He watches, beckons and waits For us; 'tis ever, When over the river, the peaceful river,

The Angel of death shall carry us."

Lovingly remembered by Ivy, John and Freddy, of Calgary.

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## HILLCrest HAPPENINGS

At the regular Red Cross meeting tea was served by Mrs. A. Bain and Mrs. H. McVicar. During the meeting the ladies made up a parcel consisting of finished bandages, knitted comforts and sheets, which they sent to Calgary enroute overseas.

Mr. G. E. Cruickshank journeyed to Winnipeg and return by Trans-Canada Airways during the week.

Ruth Stobbs was honored with a birthday party, celebrating her ninth. The party consisted of twelve young friends.

ACI Gordon Orr, who is stationed at Yorkton, Saskatchewan, is home on fourteen days furlough.

LAC Frank Douglas, who is stationed at Patricia Bay, B.C., is here on furlough.

LAC Danny Kunisky, who spent his furlough here, has returned to his post at Ucluelet, B.C.

Mary Beranek has returned to Lethbridge after a visit with her parents here. Mr. and Mrs. S. Beranek.

Peggy Norton, of Calgary, is visiting Mrs. Norton here.

The basketball game between Michel and Hillcrest was postponed.

The Hillcrest Midgets played their second provincial playoff game with Blairmore on the latter's ice on Tuesday. Blairmore emerged winners by a 6-2 score. In the first game with Blairmore the score was 9-1.

LAC John Smith, R.A.F., of DeWinton, is spending a few days at the home of Mrs. W. Norton.

Private Bob Warner left for Camp Borden on Monday.

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The Canadian Pacific Railway has announced that it will pay off on the 2nd March the balance of its outstanding 6%—a ten-year convertible trust note agreement. How different to dealing with the Alberta government! The C.P.R. pays its way.

Although criticism of certain details of the Alberta budget has been made, the feeling among legislators was that Hon. Solon E. Low turned in a very satisfactory job of accounting when he presented his estimates for the coming year.

Mr. Dimond also declared: "We cannot expect the Canadians to give up their sovereignty. The Canadians will want, and should have, full control over the highway in Canada, but we do think they ought to agree if we want to build it at our own expense, that we may build it on any route we choose, provided we do not interfere with them."—Washington Newsgram, referring to the proposed highway through Alberta to Alaska. He stated further: "I think the United States should build it. We know it will never be built otherwise, because the Canadians have their hands full now and we cannot expect them to spend either \$25,000,000 or \$50,000,000, or \$200,000,000 or \$40,000,000 to build an artery which is largely for the advancement of the people of the United States."

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## BIG ICE CARNIVAL AT BELLEVUE THIS WEEK END

All is agog in the district over the first annual Crows' Nest Pass Winter Carnival to be held at Bellevue and Blairmore tomorrow and Sunday, under auspices of the Crows' Nest Pass Figure Skating and Ski clubs.

The big event will open at the Bellevue arena tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock. On the programme will be featured James Stevens, Pacific Northwest figure-skating champion; Murdo and Lilian Munro, Edmonton junior Glensona champions, and members of the Lethbridge Figure-Skating Club in lovely group displays. A special display will be the "Wedding of the painted doll" produced on the ice.

Tickets are on sale by Queen candidates, and the crowning of the elected queen will be a major item on the Bellevue arena programme during a mammoth ice show. A dance will take place on the ice after this show, which will include a costume parade and local skate races.

On Sunday the big centre of attraction will be the Blairmore ski-way, where skiers from all points between Medicine Hat and Kimberley will compete—old, young and should-be. This is being sponsored by the West Kootenay and Southern Alberta ski club.

The ski run was never in better shape than it is now, and great interest in the event is being manifested. There will be ladies' and gents' senior and junior events in slalom and downhill, with flare-skating at night.

A ski party will be held at the Greenhill Grill on Saturday night.

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## SPECIAL REINFORCEMENTS NEEDED IMMEDIATELY

Special reinforcements are required at once for the Fourth Canadian Division, it is announced. The total requirements are seventy-seven, and are listed as follows:

9th Field Company: 12 bricklayers, 7 carpenters, 2 concretors, 4 cooks, 5 driver mechanics, 2 engine artificers, 3 fitters, 3 masons, 2 motor mechanics, draftsman, painter, surveyor, timber and electrician.

6th Field Park Company: 2 engine artificers, 2 engine hands (I.C.), 2 fitters, 4 pioneers and draftsmen.

4th Division R.C.E. Headquarters: 12 drivers, 3 motor cycle drivers, 2 cooks, driver mechanic, clerk and draftsmen.

Any person interested, or requiring additional information, should get in touch with the representatives of the District Recruiting Officer located in their district.

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Delegates representing 24 Victoria and Vancouver Island organizations, unanimously passed a resolution threatening a total boycott of all Japanese people and all individuals and businesses trading with them if all Japanese of all ages, and both sexes, are not removed from the coastal and other vital areas of British Columbia by March 30th. The meeting was called by the Victoria Kinsmen's Club.

Alberta may soon witness the building of one of the world's strategic military highways, if current anticipations resolve into action. Arrival in Edmonton of a U.S. army commission to study the proposed route to Alaska through Edmonton, Grande Prairie, Fort St. John, Fort Nelson and Whitehorse was simultaneous with Washington reports that President Roosevelt had declared the road an immediate necessity, and the negotiations had been opened with Ottawa. For some considerable time the Alberta government has been pressing the advantages of the inland route to Alaska as the cheapest, fastest, easiest to be maintained of all four proposed.

## LOCAL AND GENERAL ITEMS

Gasoline rationing will go into effect on April 1st.

Arthur Blaik returned to Calgary on Friday last to resume his training.

The Alberta University staff subscribed \$48,000 to the Second Victory Loan.

Frank Motil, Millar Stewart and J. Shannon, of Blairmore, joined the Alberta University staff in Calgary last week end.

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## COWLEY HAPPENINGS

Bobby Cochrane, of the R.C.O.C.,

returned to Calgary after a brief visit to his home on the North Fork.

Mrs. Archie Swart spent a few days recently with friends in Letbridge.

Mr. Tom Davidson, of the Cowley airport, entertained at bridge on Thursday night last.

Mr. and Mrs. Ironmonger, of Blairmore, are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a daughter in St. Vincent's hospital at Pincher Creek. Mrs. Ironmonger was formerly Miss Aileen Porter.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Jessop, of Cardston, are spending a few days here with Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Martin and family.

The United church congregation on Sunday last was favored with a duet, "The Old Rugged Cross," by Dickie Gardner and Douglas Stobbs of Hillside.

Our recent cold snap was broken

by a soft chinook wind on Thursday.

The Alberta Pacific elevator, de-

stroyed by fire on December 28th, is now re-built, better than before, and will be in operation this week end.

The annual meeting of ratepayers of Livingstone Municipal District No. 70 was held here on Saturday afternoon. The financial standing was re-

ported good. Two councillors, Duart Smith and John Owen, were re-elect-

ed by acclamation.

In spite of cold weather and bad

roads, the whist drive and dance held

by the Red Cross on Wednesday night

was well attended. Prizes at cards

were won by Mrs. Ed. Smyth, Mrs.

Piazola, Edward Perceval and Frank

Piazola. This apparently being Frank's

day, he also drew the lucky number

for the wool-filled comforter donated

by Mrs. George Dwyer for the Red

Cross funds. Mrs. George Porter and

Mr. Harry Smyth were on the re-

freshment committee. C. J. Bundy

acted as master of ceremonies.

Mrs. M. A. Murphy was a visitor

to Pincher Creek on Friday.

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One million tons of sunken shipping;

according to a recent report authen-

ticated by Mr. Churchill, were recov-

ered by salvage through last July,

the equivalent of a fleet of 200 freight-

ers of 5,000 tons apiece. Watch Hitler

grow (?)

## BLAIRMORE LIKELY TO DOUBLE QUOTA

As we go to press we learn that Blairmore-Frank subscriptions to the Second Victory Loan now total \$184,500. Our quota is \$118,000.

Subscriptions are still rolling in, and it is felt that before the campaign closes we will be able to report double quota.

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## 177 SUBSCRIBERS:

\$177,000 IN BONDS

Blairmore's Victory Loan headquar-ters on Wednesday announced that 177 subscribers had put up \$177,000 up to 10 o'clock Tuesday night, reaching fifty per cent above quota of \$118,000. Now our flagpole sports four pennants under the main flag, one a special.

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## VICTORY LOAN NEARING OBJECTIVE

Word received from Ottawa before going to press declared that the Second Victory Loan figures were nearing the \$600,000,000 objective.

By Wednesday night the total had reached \$425,344,250. Since then large subscriptions have continued to pour in, including \$7,500,000 from the Manufacturers' Life Insurance Co.; \$3,500,000 from General Motors of Canada; \$1,000,000 from McKinstry Industries Limited, and \$1,000,000 from Chrysler Corporation of Canada.

With large subscriptions coming in, there is every reason to believe that the loan will be much oversubscribed.

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C. B. Barrell, general manager of the Royal hotel, is at his home in Calgary. Mr. Barrell slipped and fell while getting off a streetcar.

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Just what is going to happen the Japanese very soon was clearly dem-onstrated in our office a few days ago. A mouse landing in one of our mouse traps was ninety per cent devoured by its compatriots, forced to that stage through starvation. We understand that dentists have their eyes set on Japanese teeth—the most prominent molars on earth—but who in heck wants to wear 'em? But in this par-ticular case his relatives or friends left nothing but the teeth. Japs will eventually become cannibals.

## NEITHER TOO LITTLE- NOR TOO LATE!

You know all the reasons why Canada is floating another Victory Loan. You know why every man and every woman should buy Victory Bonds to the limit of their ability.

Don't wait until the last minute to buy. Put your order in for a Victory Bond now!

Let's show the rest of this Province what we can do when we set our minds to it.

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## Cost Of Modern War

In connection with Canada's most recent war loan, some interesting figures regarding the cost of modern war were given out. This information was assembled by the Dominion Public Relations Committee of the Second Victory Loan, at Ottawa. The figures are, of course, approximate, but they reveal that a soldier's personal equipment, excluding his rifle, costs ninety-five dollars. A Bren machine gun costs three hundred and twenty-five dollars; a two-pounder anti-tank gun, fifteen hundred dollars; a universal carrier (baby tank), five thousand dollars; and a cruiser tank (twenty-eight tons), one hundred thousand dollars. Ammunition, too, costs a great deal. Rifle and machine gun bullets cost five dollars for a hundred rounds; anti-aircraft gun shells, two thousand dollars for a hundred rounds; and a five-hundred pound bomb costs one hundred dollars. A fully equipped infantry battalion, including forty-one officers and eight hundred and ninety-six other ranks, with personal equipment, motor transport, Bren guns, universal carriers and stores costs three hundred thousand dollars.

The foregoing figures apply to the army, but the air force and the navy are correspondingly expensive to equip and maintain. An elementary trainer plane costs eight thousand dollars; an intermediate trainer (Harvard), forty thousand dollars; bombers, from one hundred to three hundred thousand dollars; and fighters' planes from twenty-five to fifty thousand dollars. One patrol plane costs two hundred and thirty-five dollars.

Turning to the Navy we find that a submarine costs six hundred thousand dollars; a corvette, five hundred and seventy-five thousand dollars; and a motor-torpedo boat, one hundred and fifty thousand dollars. In conclusion the report states that the daily cost of maintaining one thousand soldiers in Canada is fifty-five hundred dollars. To keep the same number overseas, the daily cost is seventy-one hundred dollars.

## Pay As You Go Policy

We are told that the cost of the war this year alone will be greater than was that of the entire four years of the last war to the people of the Dominion. Wisely looking forward to the post-war period when a large public debt will mean less financial stability, the government is trying as far as possible to finance the war on "pay as you go" basis. Taxation and borrowing are the two main sources of government income and taxation has been made so fair, to raise the money for the war half-from the taxes and half from loans. As our war effort increases it is likely that both these sources of revenue will have to be used to the utmost. Taxation is already heavy, and because of the price control regulations, sales taxes, and possibly income taxes, will not be increased. It is expected, however, that corporation and excess profit tax will grow, as may the National Defense Tax. Savings will be demanded increasingly in the form of war loans, and to ensure the growth of savings accounts, as well as to devote more labour and materials to the war work, it is likely that many luxuries will disappear from the market. After March, no new cars will be made either here or in the United States, except for military purposes. No doubt many other things, some luxuries, some commemorative articles, will cease to be produced. It has been hinted also, that we may expect rationing in more things than sugar and gasoline.

## More Sacrifices Necessary

Mr. G. W. Spinney, national chairman of the War Finance Committee, recently addressed the Winnipeg Canadian Club and the Winnipeg Board of Trade, and in the course of his address he said: "Capital expenditures outside the strict, scope of war needs, except essential expenditures for the preservation of the health of the people, should not be condoned." Compared to the people of Britain, we have not yet made any appreciable sacrifice of money or luxuries, but it appears that if we are to do our part in contributing to the defense of the Empire, we must be prepared to give up more and more, both of money, and of the many comforts which we enjoy. That Canadians will respond to this need there is no doubt, and there is no doubt either, that the more we sacrifice, the more satisfaction we shall feel in the part we are playing in the war that we are now fighting in order to maintain the principles of democracy.

Crude weighing machines, based on the balance, were used in Egypt at least 5,000 years before the Christians era.

Some sections of England played a game similar to baseball long before Columbus discovered America.

## Danger! Liver Trouble is Serious

*Are you nervous and irritable — can't sleep or eat — tired out all the time? If you have these symptoms, liver trouble is causing your whole system! Lasting ill health may be the cost!*

*"Run Down For Years, Has Perfect Health!"*

*He was badly constipated, was terribly nervous. My doctor said: "You are always constipated." "I am made me better by taking nothing like it for a year. I am now well and giving you of your health. "Fruit-lax is made me feel fine.*

*Mr. Roy Dagnan, Charlton, Ont.,*  
*"Long Years of Suffering, Now Fall*

*For a long time I suffered frequent headaches and heartburn. I had to call a doctor until I found Dr. J. H. Schwartz. "The pain goes away quickly until in a few days it comes back again." The pain stopped entirely. "Fruit-lax really made me feel like a new person. 25¢, 50¢.*

*Thousands of people are never sick, and have won prompt relief from their troubles. The liver is toned up, the other organs function normally, and you feel good again. Today "Improved Fruit-lax" is Canada's largest selling liver tablets. Let "Fruit-lax" bring you back on the road to lasting health — feel like a new person. 25¢, 50¢.*

*Mrs. A. J. Schwartz, Galt, Ont.*

## The Dangerous Way

War Cannot Be Won By Hoping The Axis Will Collapse

The Quebec Chronicle-Telegraph says: Mussolini is a vain, fat, bald-headed fool of 50 who also loves to go around thumping on his bare chest in emulation of youthful virility. He, too, may be fighting with the undertaker, but that does not prove that Italy is about to break into thirty thousand pieces. The more we refrain from indulgence in wishful thinking about how soon the Axis countries are going to fall apart, and the quicker we get busy tearing them apart, the better it will be for us.

## SELECTED RECIPES

## RECIPE OF THE WEEK

Below the Rio Grande where the mountains are purple and the people picturesque, a meat pie is something to be remembered. It's a work of art, seasoned to perfection, glorious to taste. As a modern touch it's made with brain cereal and topped with grated cheese.

## Mexican Meat Pie

1/2 cup corn meal  
2 1/2 cups boiling water  
1 teaspoon salt  
1/4 cup All-Bran  
1/2 clove nutmeg, fat  
3 tablespoons fat  
1 pound ground beef  
1/2 cup chopped green pepper  
2 1/2 cups canned tomatoes  
1 tablespoon chili powder  
1/2 cup water  
1/4 teaspoon pepper

1/4 cup dry grated cheese  
Cook meat to boiling water; add All-Bran, spooned in 8-inch baking dish to 1/2 inch thickness; cool. Brown garlic in fat; add meat and cook, stirring frequently. Add green pepper, tomatoes and simmer until juice from vegetables has partially evaporated, about 15 minutes. Pour into baking dish on top of cooked mush; sprinkle with grated cheese. Bake in moderately hot oven (400 degrees F.) about 15 minutes.

Yield: Eight servings (8 or 9-inch casserole).

## HOME SERVICE

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Then to stitch, following for each group our pattern diagram. Each little block stands for one cross-stitch; the shades are for colors—peach, turquoise, brown. In alternate squares you might have turquoise, orange, peach.

You stitching's done with fat rug yarn. Each stitch in the row working to the right, should be from left up, up, right. Coming back over these stitched cross from lower right to upper left—all crosses in the same direction!

After completing all squares, make a square of one row of turquoise and one brown and stitch canvas to denim backing.

Our 32-page booklet has detailed instructions and diagrams for making this rug, also shows how to make lovely hooked, woven, braided and crocheted rugs. Includes Oriental, Navajo, novel styles.

Send for your copy of "How To Make Your Own Rugs" to Home Service Dept., Winnipeg News-Paper Union, 175 McDermot Ave. E., Winnipeg, Man.

The following booklets are also available at the each:

106—"21 Ways To Earn Money At Home."

188—"Easy Lessons in Guitar Playing."

112—"How To Make Slip Covers."

167—"Cowboy Songs."

168—"Etiquette: The Correct Thing To Do!"

## Have Much In Common

Science magazine says the southern continents, South America, Africa and Australia, are separated by the great oceans, nevertheless they have much in common in their vegetation, indicating some former land connections.

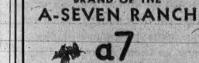
## A FAMOUS BRAND

## Ogden's FINE CUT



Founded by the late A. E. Cross in 1885, Ogden's Fine Cut, of Nanton, Alberta, is famous to this day for the high-grade grassed beef cattle which the ranch raises and ships all over Canada.

BRAND OF THE A-SEVEN RANCH



## SO YOU'RE GOING TO DO A PLAY?

As the rehearsals proceed and the pattern for the business is set and fitted into the lines, you will find that the young Thespians put down their scripts and try, repeating the words over and over again. Let us do as much of this as they wish, taking care to secure a prompter, who will do this all important work.

Promoter Important and Essential  
To a Play  
Promoter? Who'd want to draw in a wastrel? Wouldn't a prompter be wasting a lot of time just sitting around for the next two weeks? Maybe not a prompter, but not mine! My good prompter is a good one. He learns the rhythm and pace of the pattern for the business, the length of the pauses between speeches and many other details. He sits in the play so that she never makes a mistake and prompts too quickly the night of the play, or the other equally bad mistake, of not prompting quickly enough. A good prompter always marks her script so that everything will be ready for the good efforts on cue.

A good prompter always sits in the same place and always follows the script line by line so he is always ready with a right cue instead of sitting around back stage; a good prompter may pinch hit when one of the cast is ill or away on business. And finally, a good prompter gets accustomed to the various idiosyncrasies of the characters, and the inflections of their voices so that when the names of the characters meet and one of the names of the characters in the call to the armed forces, or is transferred or has an emergency operation, the good prompter hands her prompter book to someone else and steps into the show like a veteran performer.

A good prompter is of invaluable assistance to the director in small cases in helping to secure prompt cues, calling attention to other small necessities necessary for the successful show. The prompter knows the details of the show, the atmosphere being created, and the audience interested and as the visit here and there can often pick up an ornament, a piece of furniture, or a bit of jewelry, gloves, etc., that will assist materially in giving a top notch performance and one that will do credit to all concerned.

Face and Rhythm of Whole Play  
After several group rehearsals, then it is time to combine all the acts of the whole play, so that one act of a three act play, so that the rhythm and pace will be felt by the players. This lets the actors get to know the other units well. It starts and develops, swells to a climax here and there, and how it ends. And above all, watch the time in minutes taken to do a whole act. If it drags, then it is time for a break. You know there is nothing an audience dislikes more than sitting from curtain up at 8:15, until curtain down at 10:30, when there is still a play showing, takes more than three hours at the most. Use the Stop Watch. If it is too long, cut it, even if you at first feel that you need every minute of the play. And before it is over, if it goes too far, delete some of the phrases. But, of course, do this carefully.

Next time we will talk about prop-

er.

Enuf sed this time. Remember the self-addressed, stamped envelopes when writing for further information.

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## Norway's Commandos

## Ability And Toughness Of Troops Have Made Them Famous

It can now be disclosed that Norway has its own Commando troops, especially trained volunteers, who for more than one year have been drilling "somewhere" in Great Britain, and whose ability and toughness are already famous. These Commando-soldiers have been participating in all the last raids on the Norwegian coasts. The greater part of them are young men who have crossed the North Sea in small craft, mostly fishing vessels with only desire; to fight the Nazis with every means and wherever possible. All of them have special knowledge of some part or other of the Norwegian coast, a knowledge very valuable for the planning and carrying out of the important operations planned by the famous "Commandos." The Norwegian authorities regret the loss of one of the most able and brave Norwegian officers leading the assault on Maaloy. This same officer, a captain, was the first to step ashore at Svolvaer, Loftoten, in March last year, and was mainly responsible for the rounding up of the Germans and quelling there. This time he rushed with a few of his boys directly to the German headquarters at Maaloy, in order to take the whole group of Nazis by surprise, but was himself killed in the brief engagement before the German forces surrendered.

## Child's Colds To Relieve misery Infants On Time-Proven VICKS VAPORUB

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## Radio Announcers

Proposal Is Made To Establish A School To Train Men

A proposal to establish a school for radio announcers was discussed by members of the Canadian Association of Broadcasters at the concluding sessions of their annual convention in Montreal.

The proposal for the school, which would seek to replace men entering the armed forces, was left in the hands of the newly-elected board of directors for further consideration.

Other problems facing the industry were discussed by the delegates, numbering more than 125 from across Canada, who represent the Dominion's privately-owned radio stations. The convention was extended because of a heavy agenda.

## A CHIP ON HIS SHOULDER

"Tom had a swell case of Caffeine Nervous from too much tea and coffee. Even his friends avoided him when he was in town, but his wife and some good friends put him wise and persuaded him to drink Postum. Thirty days later he was the most popular man in town, drat it!"

Mr. T. N. Coffee Nerves.

## POSTUM

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## LET'S BE MORE ENTHUSIASTIC

Every once in a while, some of us look over the Canadian scene and experience a "feeling" that we are too tightly faced. Some of us are so bound up by decorum, ideas of dignity, by reserve, and by timidity, that we haven't breath enough to run, laugh or cheer.

Spontaneous enthusiasm does not spring from such tightly-bound people.

Few would recommend that Canadians become mercurial—hot one minute and cold the next. But few, on the other hand, would relish the prospect in which citizens of the Dominion became so reserved that they earned the right to be called stolid.

When Canadian boys are banded into a huge military force, they very quickly leave behind all the inhibitions of their civilian lives. One soldier doesn't hesitate to speak to another, even if he be a total stranger. Strangers and friends join in impromptu entertainment; and when their training period is over, they rush into battle with enthusiasm which has been engendering the total lack of reserve.

Great benefit would accrue to the Second Victory Loan campaign if throughout all Canada people deliberately set out to acquire enthusiasm. If people would make the Victory Loan the subject of bright conversation in trains, buses and street cars; if people would loosen their girdles of reserve at public meetings and in the movies show and let out some hearty cheers; and if people would go out of their way to praise and applaud the hundreds of men and women who are giving up their own time to put the loan over, we might be surprised at the astonishing effect it would have on the final returns announced at Ottawa.

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## A JOB TO DO

We in Canada have got to pay and pay. If we stop paying, we shall have to stop arming; and if we have to stop arming, we might as well throw up the sponge. In view of the fact that only two alternatives face us, victory or national debt, we shall have to go on battling and paying. Canadians have a job to do. Thousands of them are doing their job on the battlefield, in the air, and on the sea. Hundreds have given their lives for freedom. If those men at Hong Kong were willing to sacrifice their all for their country, what citizen will hold back a few paltry dollars? The 1942 Victory Loan must be a success.—Burlington Gazette.

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The Bank of Nova Scotia are closing their branch at Nanton tomorrow.

Farmers are urged to look over their equipment without delay and place orders immediately for repair parts necessary to put their present machinery in order for this season's work. Although supplies are limited, implementation manufacturers and dealers are hopeful that all orders for spare parts can be filled. Breakdowns are costly, and every delay and loss of time due to such detracts directly from our war effort. Certain restrictions are being placed on the manufacture and importation of new farm machinery.

## E. O. DUKE, M. L. A.

Extract from speech of E. O. Duke, M. L. A. for Pincher Creek-Crows' Nest, in Edmonton:

Mr. Speaker: In rising to take part in this debate on the budget, may I be permitted to congratulate all of its honorable members on both sides of this house who have spoken; thus far. And as I did not take part in the debate on the speech from the throne, may I be pardoned if in my address today I wander afield outside the budget, and speak of matters which should be of interest to all.

In the first place, Mr. Speaker, may I state that these are dark and terrible days through which our Empire is passing. Never in her long history has she faced such odds as she faces today. Worst days and no doubt more humiliating defeats may follow before you see the dawn.

Tumult, confusion and strife are world-wide. The whole world is in a sorry mess today. We may place the cause on Hitler and blame him and the German race for all our troubles today. But, Mr. Speaker, let me go a little deeper into the matter. In my opinion, Sir, our troubles today are the result of one thing, and one thing alone. We and all civilized countries have left God out of the picture. We have huddled without God and we have one and all bowed down and worshipped the Golden Calf that has been set up. Material things have occupied our thoughts. We have shut our ears to the cry of the poor. We have denied life to the people. And now we are to be punished. Material possessions are fading away. Such suffering as this world never saw may be visited upon us. When we humble ourselves before our Maker, repeat of our sins and call upon our God, then He shall hear us, then He shall heal us, and the wrongs of this Empire and this country shall be righted. National days of prayer are called by our King, but how many attend these days of prayer? Not yet is our suffering to be ended.

Let us examine another feature in Canada's national life today that most surely shows the trend of the times. Last year, the gross revenue from sales of liquor in Canada amounted to \$120,000,000, while for the year 1939 (the last year for which figures are completely available) the entire cost of education for all schools, including universities, in Canada was \$112,000,000. Whither away O Canada?

Now what is the picture for Alberta? By the budget which we are now considering, the revenue from the gross profit from the sale of liquor in the province is estimated at \$3,283,000. Whither away O Alberta? Liquor has blighted more lives, destroyed more homes and caused more sorrow than any other one thing on earth. And still the bright goes on.

The Empire, in spite of reverses, is still proud of our Churchill. We are proud of the Atlantic Charter. In a few words these great leaders of democracy, Churchill and Roosevelt, set forth the things that must be when the war is ended: Freedom of speech, of religion, from want, from fear. These freedoms, one by one, have been taken from us if restored they would in my opinion, result in great good for all people.

And now, Mr. Speaker, let me refer to the old age pension for a moment. I am pleased to see the change of front presented by the Opposition in this house, for when the resolution calling upon the King government to reduce the pension age to 60 years and to increase the pension to \$1 a day was debated, in this house on March 16th, 1939, every member of the opposition who remained in the house voted against the resolution, and of those who voted against that resolution, only one hon. member sits in the seat of the opposition today.

And now, Mr. Speaker, may I refer for a moment to something that I have long wanted to say in this house. Farmers and teachers are the two poorest paid servants of the state.

The basic industry of this country is agriculture. Without agriculture none of us could exist. The agricultur-

ist works long hours each day, toils and slaves to produce the products required to sustain his. Surely, Sir, he is justly entitled to the cost of production, plus a legitimate profit. For long he has produced and sold the product of his labors below the cost of production. Freight rates and the distance from any great centre of population cuts down his income so that the farmer, the backbone of the country, is always poor, always struggling and always fighting against forces over which he has no control—frost, drought, hail, freight rates, low prices and debts.

Surely, Mr. Speaker, it is high time the farmers of this province and the farmers of Canada, and of the world, organize into farm unions and fight their products for the price demanded, cost and profit basis.

And now, Mr. Speaker, as a result of the farmer being forced to sell his products below the cost of production, the rural teachers' salaries are kept low—very, very low. Surely the work of the teacher, the work of training the youth of our land, should be regarded as the highest occupation in the land, and yet he is paid starvation wages. \$600 a year is the average of rural teachers' salaries in Canada.

I have noticed, Mr. Speaker, that in the mining towns of the province there are, everywhere, good schools, good teachers, and good salaries paid to the teachers. This, Sir, is a result of the local union of the U.M.W.A., who will not permit their teachers to submit on starvation wages, and who insist that school board in a mining town that would attempt to reduce the salaries of the teachers.

So, if Canadian farmers would organize into unions, not only would they receive a fair price for their products, but the teachers' salaries would forthwith be raised; and with the raising of the salaries, better, more contented and happier teachers would be found in our schools.

And now, Mr. Speaker, may I be permitted to speak briefly of the constituency which I have the honour to represent—Pincher Creek-Crows' Nest. Although newly formed, it embraces a settlement that goes back to the coming of the railway. The Pincher Creek area is a prosperous farming and ranching district; picturesque with its rolling hills and pleasant farms and ranches snuggling up to the mountains. The Crows' Nest area embraces the mining towns of Coleman, Blairmore, Frank, Bellevue, Maple Leaf and Hillcrest. At least 10,000 inhabitants live in this area, and not less than 10,000 tons of coal are shipped out every day, six days a week. Fish and game abound in this constituency—elk, deer, moose, bear and cougars, Marten, mink, lynx, badgers, beavers, muskrat and ermine abound.

And, Mr. Speaker, may I once again urge that every precaution be taken to protect the game on the east slope of the Rockies. Permanent, well paid, competent game guardians should be appointed to patrol each district. Much could be done by way of the cameras to portray in schools pictures of wild life, and interest the children in the preservation of our fish and game, and care of the forests.

I hope, Mr. Speaker, that soon our province will, like British Columbia, put fish and game and fur under an independent commission, and each department have for its head a competent and skilled man, trained and educated in the branch which he heads.

And now, Mr. Speaker, permit me to refer to the great coal mining industry of the province, and of my constituency in particular. The coal mining industry of the province is not only a great industry, but a very hazardous occupation. The miner never knows when he enters the mine in the morning that he will return alive at night. So many dangers: a piece of coal may fall from the roof, the sides of the working place may fall in and bury him alive; gas, sudden and deadly, may enter. This gas, mine damp, cannot be seen, neither can it be smelled. The first indication that the miner has of the presence of gas is a pain across the forehead, followed by a shaking of the knees. Unless he drops his tools and rushes from the

place instantly, he collapses. Again, terrible explosions may occur, and of these Alberta has had its share. Mine explosions: in 1910 at Bellevue, killed 31 men; 1914 at Hillcrest, 189 men; 1926 at McGillivray Creek, Coleman, 16 men; 1935 at Coalhurst, 16 men; 1938 at Hinton Collieries, five men; 1941 at Nordegg, 29 men.

And now, Mr. Speaker, let me state that the mining industry has miners who are derelicts of industry in every mining camp in the province. Men crippled or maimed, a crippled foot, a stiff knee, a crippled arm or hand, a broken back, a sightless eye, silicosis of the lungs. These cripples of industry come mostly under the Compensation Act, which should, but does not compensate these men for injuries received. These cripples of industry should be a direct charge upon that industry until each and every one of them has fully recovered or until his death, be that soon or late. If industry cannot compensate these men, then I claim that it is the duty of the government to contribute towards that fund.

Our mining laws are far behind the times. In continental Europe, prior to the outbreak of war, a man who had worked five years in a mine received a pension for the rest of his life. If he worked ten years, that pension was doubled. Here a man may work over fifty years and quit without a pension. The mining picture from within is far from satisfactory. No man is wanted after reaching 50 years of age. But they stay on because they have to eat to live and because they must have money to buy bread. They go down into the mine and try to compete with the younger men. Mr. Speaker, at 50 most miners are stiffened and broken. Hard work has taken its toll. So the miner reaches 60, broken, stiffened and bent; he still trudges down to the mine, enters the dark tunnels and loads coal that he may live. Shame, shame, upon our civilization. Every miner should be pensioned at 50 years of age and receive sufficient to live in affluence the rest of his days. He has served the state. He has spent his strength and energy in bringing forth that which the state required. The state should take care of him. We pension the teachers. We pension our

civil servants. Why not pension the coal miners whose service to the state is equal to that of any other class?

And now, Mr. Speaker, let me say a word regarding compensation as it affects the miners.

Under the Act as it now stands, the industry pays 6 1/2% of its pay roll to the Compensation Board. The miners pay nothing to the fund. If the percentage paid by industry is not sufficient to pay adequate compensation to the injured miners, then that fund must be raised, either by a greater assessment on the operators or by a government contribution, or both.

There is complaint everywhere among the miners of the unfairness and injustices done to injured workers. Then if this is proven, Mr. Speaker, those administering the Act must be dismissed and a new board appointed who will fairly and justly administer the Act.

If, on the other hand, the apparent injustice is caused by a defect in the Act, then the Act must be changed. It is essential, Sir, that those injured or maimed in industry should receive fair and just treatment and be compensated to the full for injury or disability received in industry.

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## ABERHART, TAKE NOTE!

More than ever it is our duty to restrict our state expenditures to the lowest levels compatible with the maintenance of state activities essential to the efficiency and morale.—Governor Lehman of New York.

The best way to get a wrig off your hands is to either shoot or marry him.

When this Christmas rush is over we will be able to again carry our "Eighteen Years Ago" column.

It's a selfish world. A toothache gives us more concern and worry than the destruction of millions of our fellowmen.

That \$20,000,000 invested in Victory Bonds by the Metropolitan Life Assurance Co. is not the money of the company or the "fifty big shots," as Aberhart would have you believe, but the money of poor people throughout Canada who are trying to make the best of their savings.

## MUSICIANS WANTED

Under the direction of Sergeant "Walzy" Haydon, of Calgary, a brass band has been organized at A20, R.C.A.S.C., Advanced Training Centre, Red Deer, and is composed of bandmen from several parts of the province. At the present time there are twenty-four members in the band, and, as the band is to be made up of twenty-seven members, there are still vacancies for a solo trombone player and two first-class cornet players. The band would like also to contact a smart, experienced drum major, who can swing the baton in approved style. Another, and urgent requirement, and something that the officers of the training centre would like to secure before the band commences public appearances, is a leopard skin, to be worn by the big drummer. It is thought that some public-spirited Albertan might like to donate a leopard skin. The deputy leader of the Red Deer Training Centre is Frank Hoeck, of Blairmore-Frank.

Members of the band at present are: A. Vercaemmen, Bellevue; Adam Bonne, J. Kleaken and F. Godek, Blairmore; H. Parkinson, V. Colagrossi, J. Stevulak and A. Thorburn, Coleman; R. Beddington, F. Beddington and W. Anderson, Lethbridge; C. Lewis, Munson; T. Jense, Olds; F. Karch, Calgary; R. Neilson and P. Fadden, Sylvan Lake; Clive, L. Papineau and G. Whitfield, Alix; W. Titley and J. Barinuk, Saskatoon, and E. Cox, Texas, U.S.A. Anyone interested in assisting the band should get in touch with Capt. R. H. Merryweather, Red Deer centre.

A general meeting of The Crows' Nest Pass Loafers' Association was held in Blairmore on Sunday afternoon—their only leisure time. Matters of importance to them were brought up for discussion, mainly why the difference between the man who worked and the man who never intended to work. Following about a two-hour debate, it was decided that the world did not owe a livelihood to the person who would not help to develop our natural resources.

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## NEWS FROM EDMONTON

(T. B. Windrose)

Edmonton, Feb. 24.—Opposition is said to be growing to the Social Credit government's plan for larger municipal units and criticism of the high-minded manner in which Hon. Lucien Maynard, the minister of municipal affairs, is forcing the plan upon the communities affected.

The attitude of the government is a remarkable demonstration of the inconsistency that has always marked the course followed by the Aberhart regime. Despite its loud claims to being the champion of real democracy, and its philosophy of "giving the people the power to get what they demand," the administration is driving ahead, steamrolling its enlarged unit into position regardless of the wishes of the people affected.

The annual meeting of the Alberta municipalities association went on record as being unanimously opposed to the scheme, only one voice being raised in favor of it, last December. A large delegation from Stony Plain and Spruce Grove waited on the minister and the premier during the second week of the present session of the legislature, in order to lay their opposing views before the government. And this delegation voiced its opposition in no uncertain terms.

Other districts and ratepayers associations have voiced opposition to the plan, the latest to do so being the Crown Municipal District. At a public meeting held in Lacombe last week, the ratepayers of that municipality voiced their objections, and in doing so drew attention to some of the clear inconsistencies of the Alberta administration.

They objected to the plan on the ground that they had been given no chance to express approval or disapproval; and this by a government that was shouting its battle cry of democracy pure and undefiled from one end of the province to the other.

People are asking how is the government going to "give the people the power to get what they demand," if no chance for them to state what they want is provided in the set-up?

People are also asking what sort of democracy it is that promises the people they will have their will carried out and at the same time defies the will of the people by establishing any sort of system for local government over the people's protest.

Another ground for objection to the larger municipality unit plan is stated to be that the smaller units to be absorbed into the larger will each lose control of their own local affairs. That this result should come from the action of a government that has always cried out against all sorts of "centralization" as one of the greatest evils confronting democracy today, is regarded as the supreme demonstration of inconsistency.

Premier Aberhart apparently almost turns sick at the mere thought of centralization. Mention how much better Canada could be governed, and how much more economically if the provinces were shorn of some of their privileges, and their legislatures reduced to less expensive luxuries, and Premier Aberhart's soul becomes indignant. Centralization of authority is a crime and a device of the pit. But, when it comes to taking away some of the local control from small municipalities in Alberta by main force, whether they will it or not, in order to place more power in the hands of the minister of municipalities, that's another matter. Centralization there is a boon and a blessing. Truly the mind of a politician is a queer contraption in any case, but the mind of a Social Credit politician is beyond understanding as the most inconsistent mental machine ever given to the human race.

One wonders how long the ratepayers and electors of this rich and important province in the Dominion of Canada are going to put up with the demagoguery and inconsistency that has been, and is being demonstrated by the Social Credit administration and leaders today.

"Give the people the power to get

what they demand!" Most of them demanded the defeat of William Aberhart at the last election, but the present election act gave him more seats than the majority of the electors wanted, but the next time the people will get what they demand! The necessary votes will then be in their keeping.

Blairmore Midgets and Juveniles came out winners in a double-header contest on Friday night against Hillcrest Midgets and Bellevue Juveniles. These were the first games of the Alberta playoffs. Blairmore Midgets won 9-1 from Hillcrest, while our Juveniles outscored their opponents 4-2.

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"Dad!" Fred Palmer, Clarence, who on Friday last celebrated his 82nd birthday. He is still quite active and keeps an eye on the young lasses. At the time this picture was taken, he was somewhat bashful.



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## WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

Non-inflammable textiles are being made in England from fibre obtained from seaweed.

Japanese headquarters announced the Japanese would call Singapore "Shonan Port." It was explained Shonan literally means "Light of the South."

Thousands of wooden paving blocks in Paris' historic Central square, the Place de la Concorde, have been ripped out to be used as fuel for wood-burning trucks, newspapers reported.

Principal Cyril James of McGill University has arrived in Britain to survey and discuss with British officials post-war reconstruction plans or behalf of the Canadian government.

Jugoslavia's unconquered troops stronger than ever, are recruiting reinforcements for a spring campaign with an army of 250,000 to 300,000 as their goal, the BBC reported.

Vice-Admiral Sir Charles Kennedy Purvis, commander-in-chief of the America and West Indies station of the Royal Navy, has been promoted to the rank of admiral, it was announced.

Lt.-Col. Charles G. W. Anderson, who has been awarded the Victoria Cross for Valour while fighting in Malaya, is 45, married and has four children. He won the Military Cross in the last war.

Disappointment by the Russians over the rate of delivery of American war supplies is believed to be one of the reasons why President Roosevelt appointed Admiral Emory S. Land, former chairman of the United States maritime commission, as wartime shipping controller.

### How He Understood It

A Welsh regimental choir was singing outside the officers' mess after dinner.

The colonel called the unmusical sergeant-major.

"Look here," he said, "get and tell the choir to sing 'Sweet and Low'."

The sergeant-major went out and bawled to the leader:

"If you blokes can't make less noise the colonel says you've got to clear off."

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## The Individual Citizen's Army

A Weekly Column About This And That In The Canadian Army.

By Alan Maurice Irvin

Funny how one thing leads to another, isn't it? Last week's column ended with a reference to the pronunciation of the word, "Lieutenant."

Two correspondents and a large number of the Oxford Dictionary are agreed on the origin of British mispronunciation of an Anglicized French word. As the two correspondents (could they be the sum total of this column's readers?) also made some entirely irrelevant comments upon the writer's mentality we'll pass them by and concentrate on the dictionary's explanation.

Apparently both pronunciations are correct. The dictionary points out that the derivation is from the Latin "locum tenens" which became in French, "lieu" - in place of, "tenant" - to hold. In the 14th and 15th centuries English scriveners wrote the word variously as "leu" and "lev" - tenant and the latter spelling later degenerated into "luy" - or "luy" - tenant. Hence the British pronunciation - "lieutenant."

Yes, I know the pronunciation begins to match the spelling. But just think for a minute—how do you pronounce "plough," "cough," or "ough" for example?

The former is as irrelevant as it might seem to the subject of today's essay—is officers. Officers all the way from Lance-Corporal to Field Marshal.

You didn't know Lance-Corporals were officers? Sure they are—and very important ones, too! To be meticulous, he is a Non-Commissioned officer, one of the three types of officers to be found in the individual's army. Another type is the officer who holds His Majesty's commission ranging in rank from Second Lieutenant to Field Marshal. There are more Lieutenants than Field Marshals.

And there are more Lance-Corporals than Lieutenants.

To get the record straight here is the infantry list: Lance-Corporal, Corporal, Sergeant, Company Quartermaster Sergeant, Regimental Sergeant-Major; these are Non-Commissioned officers. Next comes, Company Sergeant Major, Regimental Quartermaster Sergeant, Regimental Sergeant-Major; these are warrant officers. Commissioned officers are, Second Lieutenant, Lieutenant Captain, Major, Lieutenant-Colonel, Colonel, Brigadier, Major-General, Lieutenant-General, General and Field Marshal.

And don't ask me why a Lieutenant-General is senior to a Major-General when a Lieutenant is junior to a major!

Where does the Canadian Army get its officers? The answer is, from the ranks. Every candidate for a commission-to-day, except in a few cases where civilian technical qualifications are the deciding factor in the appointment, is dressing in khaki serge at the time his name is considered.

He may reach commissioner rank in one of two ways. I almost said one is the hard way. As a matter of fact both ways are hard from the point of view of the outsider but quite possible of attainment by the soldier who has the necessary quality of leadership, educational qualifications, and guts.

Many an officer has worked his way up through the ranks of private and warrant ranks. Others, and there are numerous when there is a war on, have been selected as privates to go to the Officers' Training Centre for a strenuous course.

In each case the recommendation is made by the man commanding officer who submits the name to the District Officer Commanding. If the latter concurs, the name is placed upon the eligible list and in due course, as vacancies occur at the training centre, the embryo officer goes up for training.

Appointments to the rank of Lance-Corporal and promotions to higher non-commissioned ranks are made by regimental commanders upon the

## THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson



AN EMPEROR PENGUIN MAY WEIGH OVER EASY FUNDS

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ANSWER: Anthropology is the study of man, zoology is the study of extinct, or fossil animals.

recommendation of company or other officers. Warrant officers with the exception Regimental and Staff Sergeants-Major whose warrants are issued by the Minister of National Defence, are promoted in the same way.

Of one thing you may be certain—the man who leads your boy into action or your boy when he leads others into action will be well-trained and thoroughly competent to undertake his heavy responsibilities.

### Tip For Young Writers

As a young reporter for a newspaper in India, Rudyard Kipling once interviewed Mark Twain. "I have read your books with great interest," said young Kipling. "Have you any advice for a young man who would like to be a writer?" "Well," said Twain, "the main thing in writing is to get the facts. Get the facts, and then you can distract them at your leisure!"

### Brought Good Price

The auctioneer at a recent war fund sale held in the London Stock Exchange offered a bunch of 100 bananas grown in Dyke Street, Brighton, by Mrs. W. B. Westhead. These natives were knocked down to the highest bidder for just under \$1,500 behalf of the Aid to Russia Fund.

### LIFE'S LIKE THAT



By Fred Neher

## REG'LAR FELLERS Gentle Reminder



## SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

MARCH 1

### THE PARABLES BY THE SEA

Golden text: Never man so spake.

Lesson: Matthew 13; Mark 4:1-23;

Luke 8:1-18.

Devotional reading: John 21:15-23.

Explanations and Comments

The Parable of the Growing Corn: the Growth of the Kingdom of God is Sure, Mark 4:26-29. This parable, known as the Parable of the Seed Growing Secretly, or as the Parable of the Blade, the Ear and the Full Crop, is given only by Mark. Little notice had been taken of any other parable in the Gospels. The reason has been ascribed to the fact that its interpretation is not so self-evident as is the case with other parables.

A parable is a story told for the purpose of illustrating a truth. "So is the Kingdom of God," this parable begins. So is the Kingdom of God: what we mean by God is working in Nature and also in the method of working in the spiritual realm. The phrase "Kingdom of God" can only be understood by taking the words out of context. Jesus had it in His parables we see that it has to do with man's spiritual nature and possibilities, his inner life. This parable portrays the slow burn sure growth of the Kingdom of God in the hearts of men.

Parables of the Hidden Treasure and the Goodly Pearl: or the Parables of the Treasure Found in the Field, the Sower; the Supreme Value of the Kingdom of God, Matthew 13:44-46. In the thirteenth chapter, Matthew records what the first one of his parables by Jesus, the Sower, shows the different reception of the Word by its hearers, and the second, that of the Tares, shows the difference between the good seed and the bad in human society. Both in His parables we see that it has to do with man's spiritual nature and possibilities, his inner life. This parable portrays the slow burn sure growth of the Kingdom of God in the hearts of men.

The third pair of parables, that of the Hidden Treasure and of the Pearl of Great Price show the supreme value of the Kingdom of God and how it can be an incentive to the desire to "covet earnestly the best gifts." The latter parable differs from the former in that the prize, instead of being a field, is a pearl of great price. We find that noes, rats, mosquitoes and vermin may, and do help to spread disease, but we must take every step to eradicate them. We know that noxious weeds, smoke, noise and dust contribute largely to ill-health, but nevertheless we must continue our little actions effort toward their abatement; we know that neglected codas are very communicable and frequently lead to serious public health calamities, but in spite of this, we continue to circulate them or carry them in business or in overcrowded street cars, causing unnecessary suffering and indirectly, leading to the infection of others, to our own detriment as well as theirs. We know that over-eating, overdrinking, habitual smoking, particularly in high blood pressure with resultant cardiac complications, but we continue to over-eat, fall to exercise and permit our worries to disturb the mind without much effort to remedy the situation. We know that poor housing, overcrowding, improver lighting, heating and ventilating facilities, lack of sleep, sedentary lives, convenience all contribute largely to ill-health and the spread of disease, but we allow these conditions to multiply in our social programs with only a feeble cry here or there for their correction.

The Parable of the Net, which is a comparison to that of the Tares and mustard seed, is the fair of judgment with which our punishment must have been to the disciples a solemn warning.

### Spoken Word Ample

Noted Composer Managed Very Well When He Was Angry

When Johannes Brahms wanted to insult anyone, he didn't bother putting his thoughts into music. He managed pretty well with the spoken word. One night at a gathering, he became involved in a bitter controversy, and vented his opinions in no uncertain terms. After lashing out at everyone with blistering invective, he reached for his hat and coat. At the door, he turned around and bowed to the audience. "If there is anyone here that I have forgotten to insult," he said sweetly, "I apologize."

Very Particular

Into the editor's room stalked a very big man.

"You the editor of this rag?" he snapped.

"I am, but—"

"Well, my name is Knowles E. Blimp. Yesterday your paper called me a thief, a robber and a blackleg."

"We did," agreed the editor; "and I—"

"I've called to tell you that my middle initial is 'E' and not 'M' as you printed it. If you can't spell my name correctly, just leave it alone."

### The Change Of Time

On Monday, Feb. 9, when the change of time took place, the sun rose twenty minutes earlier than it did at the first of the year. On March 10 the sun will rise an hour earlier than it did at the first of the year, and on March 21, under daylight saving, the sun will be rising at the same time as it does now under standard time.

## Health League of Canada presents TOPICS OF VITAL INTEREST

### NEGLECT OF HEALTH

The general public failed to use the remarkable discoveries of science and medicine, which, if properly used would prolong life, cure many diseases and make Canada a healthier nation. So said Dr. J. E. Davey, M.O.H. of Hamilton, Ont., in an article in a special health supplement published by the Hamilton Spectator.

Dr. Davey said: "In spite of this, however, the fact is that the knowledge we have overshadowed our will to action. Too often we know what should be done or undone, but fail to put that knowledge to use. And collectively, we are sinners above measure against the simplest and best known rules of good health. We know the foods with the greatest value, but discount them for non-essential; we know immunization will protect, but neglect to be immunized; we know the dangers of over-fatigue, but continue to over-work; we know that dangerous infections are transmitted by flies, rats, mosquitoes and vermin, but in spite of this, we continue to circulate them or carry them in business or in overcrowded street cars, causing unnecessary suffering and indirectly, leading to the infection of others, to our own detriment as well as theirs. We know that over-eating, overdrinking, habitual smoking, particularly in high blood pressure with resultant cardiac complications, but we continue to over-eat, fall to exercise and permit our worries to disturb the mind without much effort to remedy the situation. We know that poor housing, overcrowding, improver lighting, heating and ventilating facilities, lack of sleep, sedentary lives, convenience all contribute largely to ill-health and the spread of disease, but we allow these conditions to multiply in our social programs with only a feeble cry here or there for their correction."

### HARDLY CONSISTENT

British Laborites have been leaders in the campaign for younger generals and admirals—and now, says the Windsor Star, they choose as chairman of their Parliamentary Labor party the venerable F. W. Pethick-Lawrence, 70 years old on his last birthday.

The actual needs of life are few—the wants are much more numerous.

Michigan touches all of the Great Lakes, except Lake Ontario. 2452

### MICKIE SAYS

"TH' BOSS PREDICTS A GREAT CAREER FOR ME IN TH' DIPLOMATIC SERVICE, HE SEZ, ON ACCOUNT OF BECAUSE HE SEZ I KIN REMIND FOLKS TO PAY UP THEIR SUBSCRIPTIONS 'N NOT MAKE EM MAD



### BY GENE BYRNES





Don't wait till tomorrow, it may be too late then. Buy Victory Bonds now.

Chinese citizens of Drumheller have subscribed liberally to the Second Victory Loan.

As a lawyer, for the drafting of legal documents, Lucien Maynard should be awarded a wooden medal.

To prevent tire thefts, it has been made an offence to sell or purchase any tire from which the serial number has been removed.

All those urging an all-out war effort can show the way by digging down a little deeper than they intended and taking a larger bond than they had planned.

United States authorities uncovered a \$1,000,000 gold-smuggling racket in an investigation resulting in five arrests. The five are being held under an indictment charging a conspiracy to smuggle the gold bullion from Canada into the States.

Old guns that had held positions in the West Side Park at New Glasgow, N.S., were turned in by the salvage committee and realized 5,000 pounds of steel and maybe a tank or perhaps a shell. A German gun, relic of the last war, accounted for 2,600 pounds of it.

Many have a kick coming who never get it.

Drumheller has a police officer who is constable at both ends—Constable W. Constable.

Four 10,000-ton freighters were launched at west coast ports on "Victory Day," February 21st.

Thirty years ago, R. B. Bennett, M.P., denied the rumor that he was in favor of reciprocity with the U.S.

Judging by the appearance of one of our weekly exchanges last week, there should be rationing of printers' ink.

A recent account of a wedding ran partly this way: "The wedding was one of the most lovely of the season. The six bridesmaids were attired in pastel shades. The bride's flowing gown was bloused rose chiffon and her accessories plain pink."

The price ceiling policy of the War-time Prices and Trade Board is effecting a triple good. It keeps prices down for the present consumers, enables the government to obtain the largest quantity of munitions and supplies with the people's money, and averts post-war depression. Canada has led the world in tackling the problem of wartime price control.

The Editor will be glad to receive items for this section regarding visitors mentioned, particularly for holidays or short trips, bridge parties, teas, shows, picnics, amateur movies, etc. Phone items in to 11 or hand them in at The Enterprise office not later than Thursday evenings.

Give the Japs the hot-foot with the new Victory Bonds.

Rahals, of Fernie, have opened a branch store in Natal.

Jimmy McChan, of Hillcrest, was a visitor to Blairmore last week.

The town council of Coleman has invested \$850 in Victory Bonds.

These Turner Valley flares may some day serve as beacon guides for enemy planes.

Magistrate Gresham has been confined to his home through illness during the week.

It's only natural to expect that if the ladies are not able to buy girdles we'll have inflation.

Mrs. J. B. Harmer is attending the provincial Red Cross convention being held in Calgary today.

Mrs. Chatfield, of Brooks, recently celebrated her 89th birthday. She was a former resident of Frank.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Eric Hornquist at the McDougall hospital, Kimberley, on February 17th.

The fine showing made by point in "The Crow" in the Victory Loan campaign suggest a slogan something like this: "They Shall Not Pass the Pass." —Lethbridge Herald.

Mr. and Mrs. Idris Evans are this week moving into their new residence on Dearborn Street, almost immediately opposite the C.P.R. station, but not yet completed. Following their moving, we understand that Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Evans will in turn occupy the apartment vacated by their son.

Steve Chalif and Silvio Gris were down from Natal on Wednesday afternoon, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. D'Amico, who visited relatives and friends at Hillcrest. Gris was studying the continued migration of British Columbia fish over the mountains to Alberta, and has an idea they've been tipped off by British Columbia Japanese. While here, Steve was guest for a short while of Dr. R. K. Little, having a molar removed.

In this war, as in the last, they are carrying saluting to excess. It is alright to salute superior officers when on duty, but keeping this up night and day when off duty is a wasted war effort, and a nuisance to both officers and men. The best men in the last war were not particularly impressive in back areas; but in the front line where they did not salute, these men were the real soldiers and eventually won the war. —Pincher Creek Echo.

King Winter seems to have lost his old vitality and vigor. Perhaps he isn't getting his vitamins. At any rate his efforts at sovereignty have been feeble so far—just the odd punch, then he retires. And speaking of weather, there was a foggy stretch between about February 5 and 15. Under government regulations one can't go farther into that condition, but everybody knows what happens 90 days after fog, so something pretty nice should be coming up in May, if it comes up.—High River Times.

Mr. Shilliam, High River, has a pet butterfly in his store which beats all other butterflies experiences, because it springs back to life each year early in February. It flutters around the store for about three weeks annually, renewing old acquaintances and is completely at home. Then, having announced the coming of spring, it just disappears. Mr. Shilliam is not prepared to say that it is exactly the same butterfly that is reincarnated with such unfailing regularity each year; but it maintains the same appearance and the same cheerful spirit, so it must be close kin.—High River Times.

Bankers know a lot of "birds" by their notes.

Mrs. W. Porter and daughter Marlyn are visiting for a while with Mr. and Mrs. Harmer.

The Alberta Workmen's Compensation Board has invested \$1,000,000 in the Second Victory Loan.

Twenty years ago, E. L. Cope, of Medicine Hat, was elected grand master of the I.O.O.F. in Alberta.

There are still isolated areas in Alberta never visited by a white man. Good place, maybe, to bury the Japs.

Thinking is said to draw the blood to the head. That's why your feet will get cold when you think twice about something.

Newspaper heading reads: "Sailors Desire Local Pen Pals." Why not get in touch with Fort Saskatchewan or Lethbridge?

Milt Ray is this week end sporting a new Swift Canadian red coupe, purchased through Blairmore Motors. It's a Plymouth.

Hon. Randolph Bruce, former minister to Japan and once Lieutenant-governor of British Columbia, died in Montreal Saturday, aged 80.

Chief Justice Sir Lyman Duff has been appointed a commissioner to investigate circumstances under which Canadian troops were sent to Hong Kong.

The Archbishop of York, Dr. William Temple, has been named to succeed Dr. Cosmo Lang as Archbishop of Canterbury. Dr. Temple is succeeded by Rt. Rev. G. G. Garbett, Lord Bishop of Winchester.

No wonder we had a storm on Monday. Jerry states that Sunday afternoon's train was delayed at Blairmore station for near half an hour to unload half a carload of fresh British Columbia strawberries. Next?

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With nearly everybody in Canada now employed at high wages, it is calculated that after paying taxes and living expenses the people of Canada have at least one thousand million dollars of surplus spending money. A lot of it is being invested in the new Victory Loan, thus helping Canada win the war and preserving a great share of present prosperity for post-war trade and enjoyment.

Kissing is responsible for a great deal of heart trouble.

A printer died in Calgary on January 25th. Guess he had nothing else to do.

J. L. Cousins, of Bellevue, is reported recovering from a recent operation.

Thomas Uphill, M.P.P., has been ill at his home in Fernie, and was unable to take part in the Victory Loan programme on Monday.

Because of the tire and gas shortage, a local man walked sixteen miles over a country pack trail on Friday to put in idle time.

The first Sarcee Indian to join the Canadian army in the present war, Teddy Many Wounds, died of illness in England last week.

Mrs. Joseph Hamer, an old timer of Fernie, passed away suddenly on Wednesday of last week. She came to Fernie in 1908 and is survived by her husband, two sons and two daughters. Mrs. J. W. McCann, of Vancouver, is a daughter.

"Young" Dan Boyle, performing for the Elks, and a leading footman for the Lions, staged a footrace at Macleod on the opening day of the Victory Loan campaign. Dan won the race and was first to get an allotment of bonds—\$300—for the Elk Lodge. Dan is some youngster. He and we have been planning an afternoon stroll from Lundbreck to Calgary for some years, but are holding off now till after this war.

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